

Mr. Powell,

We are very upset that you are pushing through the most sweeping changes to occur in telecommunications in recent memory without exhaustive public comment. The American public is unaware that their lives are about to change in a very substantial way. How dare you take this step without involving the public! Are you afraid that the moment the public realizes that only the chosen few will control what they see and hear, your hidden agenda will be revealed? The airwaves MUST be a guaranteed venue for diversity of thought and expression. This is our American right and heritage! If this initiative takes effect, only the rich will have expression. This is not our American way! We want DIVERSITY...we want to hear Rush Limbaugh AND Amy Goodman, the Conservative Christian Right AND "shock jocks". We are ALARMED that this administration is pushing for such an obvious bid for influence pedaling. We are disgusted. You are a political appointee and are obviously pushing the agenda of the current administration. We are Republican, and we vote. We will remember this at the polls.

Sincerely,

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